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In re the Application of:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 25, 2002, kindly amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-11 without prejudice to pursue in a continuation application, and please amend claim 12 as follows:

12. (Amended) An assembly comprising:
a heat-generating device attached to a printed circuit board (PCB), and
a thermal management system, the thermal management system comprising a heat sink having an interior lumen, and a coolant circulation channel at least partially formed in a layer of the PCB, the coolant circulation channel being in fluid communication with the heat sink lumen.